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Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DEVELOPING TECHNICAL CONFIGURATIONS	Group Art Unit:	2141

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In the Office Action dated March 17, 2003, the Examiner rejected claims 1-40 under section 103(a) as unpatentable over U.S. Patent 6,064,982 ("Puri") in view of U.S. Patent 6,292,827 ("Raz") or U.S. Patent 5,926,817 ("Christeson"). In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Examiner Willett,

Here is a proposed amendment for discussion purposes. I look forward to speaking with you tomorrow.

Jason Kraus